



General Assembly

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**Committee Bill No. 6370**

LCO No. 5450

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Referred to Committee on Transportation

Introduced by:  
(TRA)

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE ILLEGAL USE OF HANDICAPPED  
PARKING SPACES.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General  
Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Subsection (l) of section 14-253a of the general statutes is  
2 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*  
3 *October 1, 2007*):

4 [(l) Violation of any provision of this section shall be an infraction,  
5 provided the fine for violation of the provisions of subsection (f) of this  
6 section shall be not less than eighty-five dollars]

7 (l) Violation of any provision of this section shall, for a first  
8 violation, be subject to a fine of one hundred fifty dollars, and for a  
9 subsequent violation, be subject to a fine of two hundred fifty dollars.

10 Sec. 2. Subsection (b) of section 51-164n of the general statutes is  
11 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*  
12 *October 1, 2007*):

13 (b) Notwithstanding any provision of the general statutes, any  
14 person who is alleged to have committed (1) a violation under the

15 provisions of section 1-9, 1-10, 1-11, 4b-13, 7-13, 7-14, 7-35, 7-41, 7-83, 7-  
16 283, 7-325, 7-393, 8-25, 8-27, 9-63, 9-296, 9-305, 9-322, 9-350, 10-193, 10-  
17 197, 10-198, 10-230, 10-251, 10-254, 12-52, 12-170aa, 12-292, or 12-326g,  
18 subdivision (4) of section 12-408, subdivision (3), (5) or (6) of section  
19 12-411, section 12-435c, 12-476a, 12-476b, 12-487, 13a-71, 13a-107, 13a-  
20 113, 13a-114, 13a-115, 13a-117b, 13a-123, 13a-124, 13a-139, 13a-140, 13a-  
21 143b, 13a-247 or 13a-253, subsection (f) of section 13b-42, section 13b-  
22 90, 13b-221, 13b-292, 13b-336, 13b-337, 13b-338, 13b-410a, 13b-410b or  
23 13b-410c, subsection (a), (b) or (c) of section 13b-412, section 13b-414,  
24 subsection (d) of section 14-12, section 14-20a or 14-27a, subsection (e)  
25 of section 14-34a, subsection (d) of section 14-35, section 14-43, 14-49,  
26 14-50a or 14-58, subsection (b) of section 14-66, section 14-66a, 14-66b  
27 or 14-67a, subsection (g) of section 14-80, subsection (f) of section 14-  
28 80h, section 14-97a, 14-100b, 14-103a, 14-106a, 14-106c, 14-146, 14-152,  
29 14-153 or 14-163b, a first violation as specified in subsection (f) of  
30 section 14-164i, section 14-219 as specified in subsection (e) of said  
31 section, subdivision (1) of section 14-223a, section 14-240, 14-249 or 14-  
32 250, 14-253a, as amended by this act, subsection (a), (b) or (c) of section  
33 14-261a, section 14-262, 14-264, 14-267a, 14-269, 14-270, 14-275a, 14-278  
34 or 14-279, subsection (e) of section 14-283, section 14-291, 14-293b, 14-  
35 296aa, 14-319, 14-320, 14-321, 14-325a, 14-326, 14-330 or 14-332a,  
36 subdivision (1), (2) or (3) of section 14-386a, section 15-33, subsection  
37 (a) of section 15-115, section 16-256, 16-256e, 16a-15 or 16a-22,  
38 subsection (a) or (b) of section 16a-22h, section 17a-24, 17a-145, 17a-149,  
39 17a-152, 17a-465, 17a-642, 17b-124, 17b-131, 17b-137 or 17b-734,  
40 subsection (b) of section 17b-736, section 19a-30, 19a-33, 19a-39 or 19a-  
41 87, subsection (b) of section 19a-87a, section 19a-91, 19a-105, 19a-107,  
42 19a-215, 19a-219, 19a-222, 19a-224, 19a-286, 19a-287, 19a-297, 19a-301,  
43 19a-309, 19a-335, 19a-336, 19a-338, 19a-339, 19a-340, 19a-425, 19a-502,  
44 20-7a, 20-14, 20-158, 20-231, 20-257, 20-265 or 20-324e, subsection (a) of  
45 section 20-341, section 20-341l, 20-597, 20-608, 20-610, 21-30, 21-38, 21-  
46 39, 21-43, 21-47, 21-48, 21-63, 21-76a, 21a-21, 21a-25, 21a-26 or 21a-30,  
47 subsection (a) of section 21a-37, section 21a-46, 21a-61, 21a-63 or 21a-  
48 77, subsection (b) of section 21a-79, section 21a-85, 21a-154, 21a-159, 22-

49 13, 22-14, 22-15, 22-16, 22-29, 22-34, 22-35, 22-36, 22-38, 22-39, 22-39a,  
50 22-39b, 22-39c, 22-39d, 22-39e, 22-49, 22-54, 22-61, 22-89, 22-90, 22-98,  
51 22-99, 22-100, 22-111o, 22-279, 22-280a, 22-318a, 22-320h, 22-324a, 22-  
52 326 or 22-342, subsection (b) or (e) of section 22-344, section 22-359, 22-  
53 366, 22-391, 22-413, 22-414, 22-415, 22a-66a or 22a-246, subsection (a) of  
54 section 22a-250, subsection (e) of section 22a-256h, subsection (a) of  
55 section 22a-381d, section 22a-449, 22a-461, 23-37, 23-38, 23-46 or 23-61b,  
56 subsection (a) or (b) of section 23-65, section 25-37, 25-40, 26-19, 26-21,  
57 26-31, 26-40, 26-40a, 26-49, 26-54, 26-59, 26-61, 26-64, 26-79, 26-89, 26-97,  
58 26-107, 26-117, 26-128, 26-131, 26-132, 26-138, 26-141, 26-207, 26-215, 26-  
59 224a, 26-227, 26-230, 26-294, 28-13, 29-6a, 29-109, 29-143o, 29-143z, 29-  
60 161y, 29-161z, 29-198, 29-210, 29-243, 29-277, 29-316, 29-318, 29-341, 29-  
61 381, 30-48a, 30-86a, 31-3, 31-10, 31-11, 31-12, 31-13, 31-14, 31-15, 31-16,  
62 31-18, 31-23, 31-24, 31-25, 31-28, 31-32, 31-36, 31-38, 31-38a, 31-40, 31-44,  
63 31-47, 31-48, 31-51, 31-51k, 31-52, 31-52a or 31-54, subsection (a) or (c)  
64 of section 31-69, section 31-70, 31-74, 31-75, 31-76, 31-76a, 31-89b or 31-  
65 134, subsection (i) of section 31-273, section 31-288, 36a-787, 42-230,  
66 45a-450, 45a-634 or 45a-658, subdivision (13) or (14) of section 46a-54,  
67 section 46a-59, 46b-22, 46b-24, 46b-34, 46b-38dd, 46b-38gg, 46b-38kk,  
68 47-34a, 47-47, 49-8a, 49-16 or 53-133, subsection (a) or (b) of section 53-  
69 211, or section 53-212a, 53-249a, 53-252, 53-264, 53-302a, 53-303e, 53-  
70 311a, 53-321, 53-322, 53-323, 53-331, 53-344 or 53-450, or (2) a violation  
71 under the provisions of chapter 268, or (3) a violation of any regulation  
72 adopted in accordance with the provisions of section 12-484, 12-487 or  
73 13b-410, or (4) a violation of any ordinance, regulation or bylaw of any  
74 town, city or borough, except violations of building codes and the  
75 health code, for which the penalty exceeds ninety dollars but does not  
76 exceed two hundred fifty dollars, unless such town, city or borough  
77 has established a payment and hearing procedure for such violation  
78 pursuant to section 7-152c, shall follow the procedures set forth in this  
79 section.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>October 1, 2007</i>	14-253a(l)
Sec. 2	<i>October 1, 2007</i>	51-164n(b)

***Statement of Purpose:***

To discourage the illegal use of handicapped parking spaces by increasing the penalty.

*[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]*

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